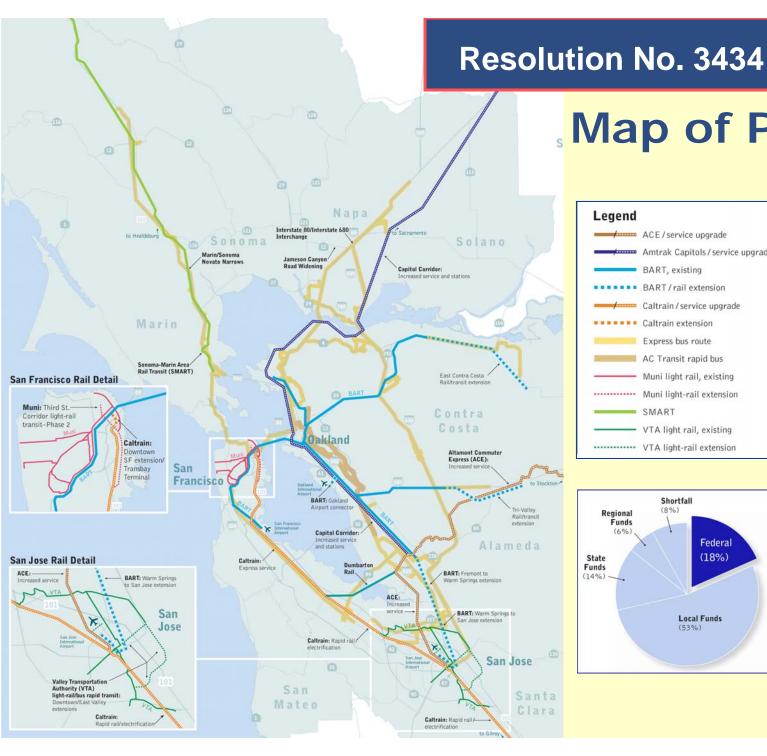
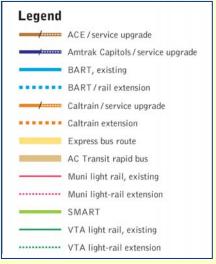
# Developing a Regional TOD Policy



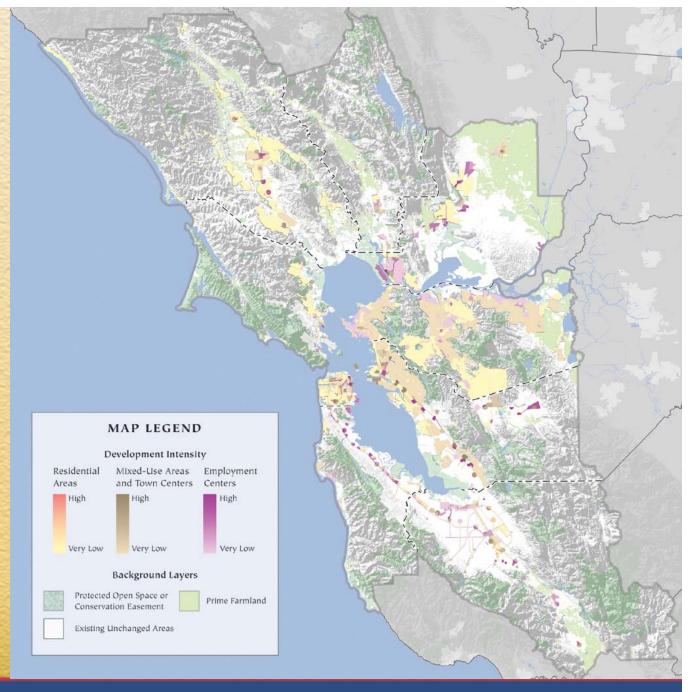
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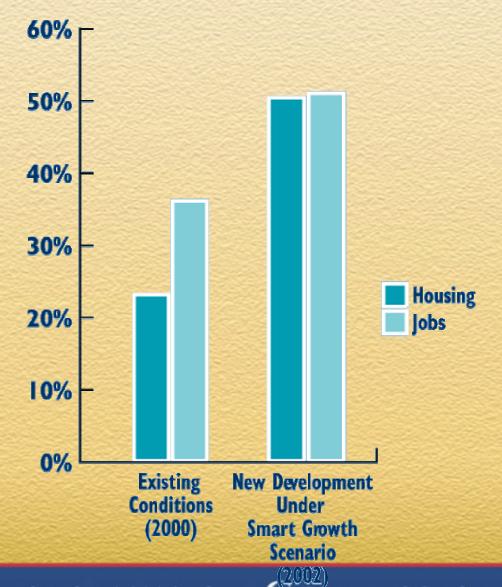
# Smart Growth Vision

Infill around transit & downtowns



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# MTC's Transportation/Land Use Platform – adopted Dec 2003

3. Encourage changes to local general plans that support Transit Oriented Development for Resolution 3434 investments

## Defining "Supportive Land Use"













#### **TOD Study Underway**

- Demographic conditions & forecasts
- Review of other policies: BART, FTA
- Define policy components and options
- Conduct Case Studies
- Refine policy for MTC adoption

#### Policy must be realistic...

Since local gov'ts don't actually construct most development & don't control the market... policy will be based on level of effort...what you plan for, not necessarily what's on the ground today

#### Policy must be scaled...

Policy will be based on level of investment in transit...the higher the cost, the more riders needed, the greater the land use expectation

#### Policy must be tailored...

Policy will recognize not all places, and not all stations, are the same...must allow room for park and ride, must allow for and encourage different station types

#### Policy must be balanced...

Policy must recognize that density alone doesn't create world class TOD's...design, diversity of uses, placemaking, are all key to making station areas work

## Policy must be package deal...

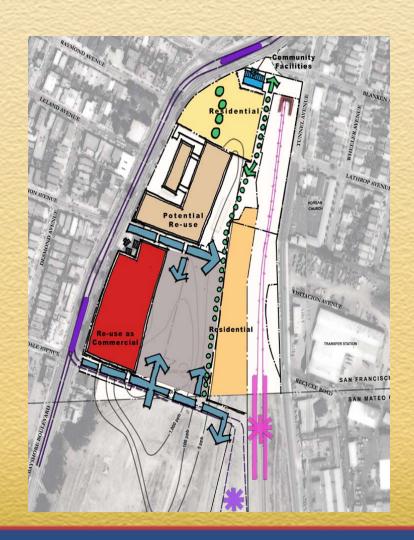
Policy must provide financial resources and technical assistance to local governments to help meet planning targets and performance measures...

#### Policy must evolve...

Draft policy will be tested through case studies...likewise policy adopted in the spring must be open to continued reevaluation over time

#### **Station Area Planning Program**

- Fund land use plans around station
- Approx.\$12 million/5 yrs
- \$100,000 -\$750,000 per plan
- CMA assistance through T-PLUS program



#### **Key Issues for TOD Policy**

- Establishing partnerships with local gov'ts
- Bringing neighbors and the public along
- Setting goals that are within reach
- Working with multiple jurisdictions in various corridors
- Taking market demand into account

#### **Opportunities for JPC**

- Guidance on policy development
- Feedback on performance measures
- Assistance on outreach
- Involvement in communicating effort to local gov'ts, planning directors etc.

#### Timeline for TOD policy

- April 04-Sept 04: demographic GIS analysis
- Fall 04: draft policy
- Dec 04-Mar 05: case studies to test draft policy
- Sept 04-Mar 05: local outreach
- Fall 04 Spring 05: roundtables/workshops
- Spring 05 Commission adoption of Res. 3434/TOD Policy